

them. Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart told DeMartini that both Mills and Mrs. Mills had spoken to them about Hall and quarrels.

Mills denies he read the notes on Wednesday night which he found in his wife's coat. His references to elopement and Coney Island, together with his statement that the notes were undated, without salutation and unsigned, indicate that he must have looked at them.

Mills also says that while his wife was in the hospital in January - February, 1922, somebody took some letters from Mr. Hall to Mrs. Mills out of the Mills house. This was probably done either by Charlotte or Mrs. Barnhart, at the request of Mrs. Mills, who feared that Mills would read them. Mills must at least have known of the existence of such letters in order to know that they had been removed.

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